

August 2015

National Park Service
U.S. Department of the Interior
New Orleans Jazz
National Historic Park



Visitor's Center
916 N. Peters Street
New Orleans, LA 70116
Tues.- Sat. 9am-5pm

Ranger Walks on the **Origins of Jazz** are conducted on Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays at 11:00 am and on Saturdays at 11:30 am. (Sign up inside the Dutch Alley visitor center.)

Additional free tours are sponsored by the French Market, Inc. on Mondays and Wednesdays. Visit <http://www.frenchmarket.org/events/upcoming/> for details.

August 1 *Saturday*

10:00-11:00 a.m.

916 N. Peters St

Bring comfortable clothing and your own yoga mat to our French Market location for **Jazz Yoga**. This free yoga class will feature instructor **Susan Landry** and meditational jazz piano by **Peter Nu**.

2:00-3:00 p.m.

916 N. Peters St

Kids are invited to bring their own instruments and join members of the **New Orleans Young Traditional Band** for our **Music for All Ages** music workshop. This program, started by **Ranger Bruce Barnes**, seeks to pass along brass traditions the New Orleans way.

August 4 *Tuesday*

12:00-1:00 p.m.

916 N. Peters St

Piano virtuoso **Richard Scott** performs an hour of traditional New Orleans jazz at our French Market location.

2:00-3:00 p.m.

Old U.S. Mint

Ranger Matt Hampsey leads the Down on Their Luck Orchestra in a program demonstrating musical elements that helped nurture New Orleans role as the birthplace of jazz. The DOTLO is rounded out by Richard Scott on piano, Michael Harris on bass guitar, Joe Stolarick on drums, and Hubie Vigreux on percussion.

August 5 *Wednesday*

12:00-1:00 p.m.

916 N. Peters St

Reknowned jazz vocalist **Stephanie Jordan** leads **Jazz Pilates** set to the recorded music of major jazz composers like John Coltrane and Kidd Jordan. Jazz Pilates integrates traditional Pilates and dance movements with jazz music to improve the mind-body-spirit connection. Please bring your own fitness mat.

2:00-3:00 p.m.

Old U.S. Mint

Vocalist **Simone Brown** performs an opera recital with piano accompaniment by **Wilfred Delphin**.

August 6 *Thursday*

2:00-3:00 P.M.

Old U.S. Mint

Andrew Wolf leads our weekly JAZZ Masters Series with special guest vocalist and pianist **Meghan Swartz**. The program will range from jazz standards to Civil Rights Freedom Songs that were sung on the 50th anniversary of the Selma to Montgomery march earlier this spring.

August 7 *Friday*

11:00-12:00 p.m.

916 N. Peters St

Join one of our celebrity guest artists from our "Songs for Junior Rangers" CD, award winning children's musician and author **Johnette Downing**. Johnette will perform a concert and sing-a-long especially suited for kids from Pre-school to 3rd grade.

August 8 **Saturday**

10:00-11:00 a.m.

916 N. Peters St

Bring comfortable clothing and your own yoga mat to our French Market location for **Jazz Yoga**. This free yoga class will feature instructor **Susan Landry** and meditational jazz piano by **Peter Nu**.

12:00-1:00 p.m.

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2:00-3:00 p.m.

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Pianist **John Mahoney** performs at the Old U.S. Mint.

August 11 **Tuesday**

12:00-1:00 p.m.

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2:00-3:00 p.m.

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August 12 **Wednesday**

12:00-1:00 p.m.

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2:00-3:00 p.m.

Old U.S. Mint

Pianist and vocalist **Sam Kuslan** performs at the Mint during our Wednesday jazz piano hour.

August 13 **Thursday**

2:00-3:00 P.M.

Old U.S. Mint

Andrew Wolf leads our weekly JAZZ Masters Series with special guest vocalist **Betty Shirley**.

August 15 **Saturday**

10:00-11:00 a.m.

916 N. Peters St

Bring comfortable clothing and your own yoga mat to our French Market location for **Jazz Yoga**. This free yoga class will feature instructor **Susan Landry** and meditational jazz piano by **Peter Nu**.

11:30 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

916 N. Peters St

PLAYBUILD NOLA will hosts monthly “Build by Ear: Bridgin Music and Architecture” workshops indoors and out at our Dutch Alley visitor center. All materials are provided by the Playbuild staff. Just come ready to listen and build! Each workshop will be tied to a specific New Orleans musician and architectural style.

12:00-1:30 p.m.

916 N. Peters St

Kids Swing and Sing with The Swing Setters (w/ Jayna Morgan)! Kids of all ages are invited to come to this interactive concert featuring Jayna Morgan! Guaranteed to have you snapping your fingers, tapping your toes, and have you dancing in the aisles while singing children’s tunes with a jazz beat!

2:00-3:00 p.m.

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2:00-3:00 p.m.

Old U.S. Mint

Dr. Michael Whites’ Liberty Jazz Band performs at the Mint.

3:30 p.m.

916 N. Peters St

The Cowan Brothers perform at our French Market location with special guest, guitarist **Brian Seeger**.

August 18 *Tuesday*

12:00-1:00 p.m.

916 N. Peters St

Piano virtuoso **Richard Scott** performs an hour of traditional New Orleans jazz at our French Market location.

2:00-3:00 p.m.

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August 19 *Wednesday*

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Old U.S. Mint

Pianist **Sam Kuslan** performs at the Mint during our Wednesday jazz piano hour.

August 20 *Thursday*

2:00-3:00 P.M.

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Andrew Wolf leads our weekly JAZZ Masters Series with special guest vocalist **Debbie Davis**.

August 22 *Saturday*

10:00-11:00 a.m.

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Old U.S. Mint

The Wendell Brunious Duo performs at the old U.S. Mint

August 25 *Tuesday*

12:00-1:00 p.m.

916 N. Peters St

Piano virtuoso **Richard Scott** performs an hour of traditional New Orleans jazz at our French Market location.

2:00-3:00 p.m.

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August 26 *Wednesday*

12:00-1:00 p.m.

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Old U.S. Mint

Pianist **Meghan Swartz** performs at the Mint during our Wednesday jazz piano hour.

August 27 *Thursday*

2:00-3:00 p.m.

Old U.S. Mint

2:00 p.m. WWNO's **Fred Kasten** continues his live interview series, *Talkin' Jazz*, at the Mint with jazz pianist **Victor "Red" Atkins**.

August 29 **Saturday**

10:00-11:00 a.m.

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Local brass band musicians perform and discuss how the brass band tradition is passed from generation to generation in New Orleans during the monthly **Talk that Music Talk Program**.

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All National Park Service programs are free of charge unless otherwise indicated.

Find updated New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park schedules at: www.nps.gov/jazz/planyourvisit/events.htm.

Follow the New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park on Facebook at: www.facebook.com/NolaJazzNHP.

View all NPS and Louisiana State Museum performances at the Mint live via Livestream at MusicAtTheMint.org.

View recent NPS and Louisiana State Museum performances at the Mint at www.livestream.com/directionofsky/folder.

Listen to New Orleans Jazz National Historical Park music on SoundCloud at <https://soundcloud.com/npsjazz>